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## Amunson Visits Local Boy Scouts

The local Boy Scout organization was visited Friday and Friday night by M. M. Amunson, of Columbus, Ohio, the regional executive of Ohio, West Virginia and Kentucky, and the results of his visit are apparent in the added enthusiasm and zest with which the local scouts are displaying in the work and the determination they have shown to make their particular organization second to none in the state.

At Trimble's Hall Friday afternoon the boys drilled for Mr. Amunson, under the direction of Drillmaster Joe Keller, and each troop conducted itself creditably, especially in view of the fact that the movement is a new one in this city.

The most enthusiastic meeting was held at the courthouse Friday night, which was attended by a number of business and professional men, in addition to fifty uniformed scouts.

Scoutmaster L. O. Knox, who is also instructor in agriculture and manager of the college farm at Stanton College, had five of his troop here for the meeting and they were quite an inspiration to local boys, as they are deeply interested in the work, and have accomplished a great deal.

Mr. Amunson gave a splendid address and promised a return visit in the near future.

R. W. Hills, the Community Service representative, made an inspiring talk to the boys and succeeded in introducing community singing into the group with fine results.

**FOR SALE**—Fourteen shocks of sugar cane. Apply to H. Clay McKee.

## Mt. Sterling Defeats Paris in Good Game

About 800 enthusiastic fans witnessed the game between Mt. Sterling and Paris in the latter city on Sunday, when Paris was defeated by Mt. Sterling by the score of 11 to 7. The batteries were: Paris—Martin, Barlow and Merryman, For Mt. Sterling—Wells and Gay.

Get that every-day and Sunday shine at The Smoke House for a dime. The Smoke House, Pool and Billiard Parlor.

## Accidentally Kills Wife

William Sanders, who lives on the Bridgforth farm, four miles east of this city, accidentally shot and killed his wife at their home last Friday. Mrs. Sanders, who had discovered a hawk after the chickens, called to her husband to bring his shot gun, which he did, and in passing through the doorway the gun, in some manner, caught in the screen and discharged, the shot piercing the woman's heart, killing her instantly.

Mrs. Sanders is survived by her husband and four small children. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence and were conducted by the Rev. Clyde Darsie. Burial followed in Macphelah cemetery.

### PONY WANTED

Good gentle one—See Oliver Howell. (pd.)

### KENTUCKY OIL PRICE IS BOOSTED AGAIN

Local oil men are much gratified today to learn that the price of Kentucky crude oil has taken another jump, both Somerset and Somerset Light being advanced 20 cents a barrel and Ragland 10 cents a barrel. With this increase, which is the second in the last two weeks, Somerset jumps from \$1.75 to \$1.95 a barrel and Somerset Light from \$2 to \$2.20 a barrel. Ragland is advanced from 1.15 to \$1.25 a barrel. This means thousands of dollars to further stimulate oil developments in this state.

### OLD TIME PRICES

As evidenced by some of the prices quoted by some of our advertisers this week many old time values have worked their way "back home." It now appears as though the dry goods and clothing markets are well stabilized and that the consumer can at least buy their immediate needs now with reasonable assurance that prices will be no cheaper for many months.

### UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. John Speer, who was taken to Lexington Monday morning, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the St. Joseph Hospital shortly after her arrival. The operation was entirely successful and she is doing well.

**FOR SALE**—Ford Coupe A-1 condition. Write or call at The Smoke House for demonstration. 56-3t-pd

## Local Girl Honored

Miss Irene McNamara, the daughter of Mrs. P. M. McNamara, this city, was pledged last week to Theta Sigma Phi, woman's honorary journalistic fraternity. Because of her splendid work as Associate Editor on the Kentucky Kernel, the student publication of the University of Kentucky, and her signal scholarship in journalism, Miss McNamara was chosen for this honor.

Miss McNamara has been in the University two years and is a sophomore in the College Arts and Science. She is majoring in journalism and minoring in education. In her two years she has taken a leading part among the women students of the University. She is a member of the Philosophian Literary Society and the secretary of the Romance Language Club.

**FOR RENT**—Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished on Queen street. Address Mrs. Anna Barrow, Box 290 Winchester, Ky. (56-57-pd.)

## Hurt in Runaway

Mrs. F. P. Allen, of the Grassy Lick pike, was thrown from her buggy and badly hurt while driving into town late yesterday afternoon. A part of the harness gave way, while going down a long hill and the horse became frightened and ran away, throwing Mrs. Allen violently to the ground. While no bones are broken she is badly bruised and cut about the face and body and will likely be confined to her bed for some time.

### FOR SALE

One J. I. Case checkrow corn planter, fertilizer attachment. One Majestic Range, both practically new! Stanley R. Thomas.

## University News

Thelma Pierce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pierce, 94 Sycamore street, Mt. Sterling, is a sophomore in the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Kentucky. She is majoring in English and minoring in Journalism and psychology.

Miss Pierce is an active member of the Philosophian Literary Society, the Y. W. C. A., the English Club, the Psychology Club and of the Woman's League.

Miss Pierce was graduated from the Mt. Sterling High School in 1919.

### FORM PARTNERSHIP

Mrs. H. Clay McKee and Mrs. Buford Boone have opened dressmaking parlors at "The Solarium," 31 South Bank street and offer their services to all who want first-class work done and will render prompt service, delivering at their place of business only and when promised. Mrs. Boone is a practical dressmaker and Mrs. McKee is a real artist by instinct and practice. She has and will keep in her mind's eye all the latest Paris and New York fashions and visit New York City from two to four times a year to keep directly in touch with every thing that is new or novel in their line of business.

### PROPERTY SOLD

The property of J. Miller Hoffman on Samuels avenue, sold at public auction April 21st, to H. H. Coppage for \$7,050. The sale was conducted by T. Foster Rogers, real estate agent. This property is modern in every particular and is considered well worth the money.

### HISTORY CLUB TO ENTERTAIN

The Strollers will be entertained by The History Club at the club rooms at their afternoon meeting Friday, April 29th, at 2 P. M. At this time a student program will be rendered and refreshments served.

## Community Service

A meeting in the interest of Community Service for this city was held in the History Club rooms yesterday, presided over by Prof. H. A. Babb, superintendent of the City schools. The meeting was attended by a large number of Mt. Sterling's business and professional men and the club women and much interest and enthusiasm was shown in the movement. Ralph W. Hills, of the National Community Service, of New York, addressed the meeting, and explained at length the advantages of community service for this city.

Another meeting has been called for Thursday night, May 5, when the various committees will be named and the work started in real earnest.

## Hun Offer Will Fall Far Short

The ultimate total indemnity which Germany agrees to pay the Allies is 200,000,000,000 gold marks, as against 226,000,000,000 demanded by the Allies in their Paris terms.

This is positively stated by those close to the government, although the German counter-proposals have not been made public.

Dr. Simons, the foreign secretary withheld the new proposals from the Reichstag today because of an understanding with the American embassy and for the additional reasons that there is a paragraph in the note to President Harding suggesting that he feel free to query back for further information or the elucidation of any point not clear, if he so desires, before submitting the note to the Entente.

## Beaten by Negroes

Charles Sexton, well known citizen of Salt Lick, was found at an early hour this morning in an unconscious condition near the railroad tracks in that city. He regained consciousness and stated that he had been assaulted by two negroes and beaten into insensibility. He lay in the rain all night and is in a critical condition as a result of the beating and from exposure. Police are at work on the case and it is hoped that the guilty parties may soon be brought to justice.

## Kitty Conroy to Play Here Friday

The Strollers, a theatrical organization from the University of Kentucky, will give their play, "The Admirable Crichton," at the Tabb Theatre in this city Friday night. One of the principal parts is played by our own Kitty Conroy, who takes the part of "Tweeny." Miss Conroy is a talented little actress and the press notices given her are most flattering. Mt. Sterling people are delighted to have the opportunity of seeing her play.

## Many Pests Affect Plums and Peaches

Plums are affected by a total of at least five diseases and insects each which must be sprayed at a different time to be controlled, according to a sprad chart for this fruit which is being distributed by the College of Agriculture. Peaches, likewise, have a number of pests, which affect their growth, according to a similar chart for this fruit. Both may be obtained free by writing the Experiment Station, Lexington.

The attempt to break Henry Ford has failed. He has raised \$24,500,000 in cash and paid his debts.

## City High School News

The baseball team of the High School will play that of the American Legion Friday afternoon at 3:30 at the Fair Grounds. Admission will be 25 and 35c. This is the big game of the season. There are some excellent players on the Legion team. Tom Grubbs, who pitched for the New York Giants a game or two last season, will pitch part of the game. However, the High School team has been practicing hard and has shown what it could do in the previous games. Last Tuesday they played Carlisle and won 5 to 3.

### CREAM DELIVERED

We will accept orders for Sunday delivery of cream and ices up to 11 o'clock each Sunday morning. LET US HAVE YOUR ORDER.—Candy Kitchen, Phone 119. (52-8t)

## A Truly Great Show By a Great Cast

Friday evening, April 29th, at the Tabb Theatre, the Strollers will present "The Admirable Crichton," their noblest dramatic attempt.

Having witnessed their presentation April 1st in Lexington we recommend the play to the theatre-going public of this community.

The Senior Class Mt. Sterling High School

### PONIES

I have for sale two of the prettiest ponies in the county, two and three years old, broke. S. P. Greenwade, Phone No. 2.

### YOUNG MATRON DIES

Mrs. S. Clark Bascom, of Millersburg, died Monday morning in Louisville, following an operation at the Norton Infirmary. She is survived by her husband and a thirteen-year-old daughter, Sue. Mrs. Bascom was formerly Miss Lula Grimes and was well known here, having been a frequent guest in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. G. Owings.

The funeral services will take place at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning from the family residence in Millersburg and burial will be in the Owingsville cemetery at 2 P. M.

### COAL

Now is your time to buy your Coal. We have the best Cannel and stone coal, free from sulphur at the right prices. The Mt. Sterling Commission & Storage Co., S. P. Greenwade, prop. Phone 2.

## Death Summons for Mrs. Rogers

Mrs. H. A. Rogers, of the Wades Mill precinct, Clark county, answered the death summons on Sunday night about 10 o'clock after a lingering illness from a complication.

Mrs. Rogers was a descendant of one of the old settlers in Clark county, her ancestors coming from Culpepper, West Virginia in the year 1811 and settled upon the tract of land upon which the residence now stands.

Mrs. Rogers is survived by the following brothers, S. H. Gaitskill, McIntosh, Fla.; C. W. Gaitskill, Redland, Calif.; S. S. Gaitskill, San Francisco, Calif.; Ed Gaitskill and one sister, Mrs. John Burgin, of Winchester. She also had one sister, Mrs. R. L. Willis, of Lexington, who passed away several years ago. She is survived by two children, Frank Rogers, who resides at home, and Mrs. J. G. Lee Waincott, of Winchester.

Mrs. Rogers would have been 67 years of age, having been born on May 20, 1854.

The funeral services were held at the late residence on the Wades Mill and Sewells Shop turnpike this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. F. M. Tinder, of North Middletown Christian church. The burial took place in the North Middletown cemetery in the family lot.

Mrs. Rogers was well known in this city and county, where she had many friends who will regret to learn of her death.

### GRAZING

We have room to graze one more cow; good grass and water; close to town. See C. B. Stephens or R. L. Settles.

### GOES INTO BUSINESS

J. Ed. Grubbs, of Winchester, formerly of this city, has leased the new business building on the corner of Main and Fairfax streets, owned by Mrs. M. T. McEldowney, in Winchester, and will engage in the hardware business in that city.

### WE SELL

Lime, sand, cement, in any quantity, delivered; Phone 2. Mt. Sterling Commission & Storage Co., S. P. Greenwade, Prop.

### PONY WANTED

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